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6.	<i>wa</i>	5,332,602	07/26/1994	Barre et al	—	—
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3.	<i>W</i>	4,885,882	12/12/1989	Forshee	—	—
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3.	<i>na</i>	2 pages entitled <i>Anchor Decking Introduces Durable Deck – The Vinyl Retrofit Solution</i> , published at <a href="http://www.prweb.com/releases/1999/6/prweb8363.php">www.prweb.com/releases/1999/6/prweb8363.php</a>
4.	<i>na</i>	6 pages entitled <i>Durable Deck Vinyl Decking</i> , published at <a href="http://www.coxlumber.com/decking2.html">www.coxlumber.com/decking2.html</a>
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